

Easy-to-Read Document #DontWriteForUsWithoutUs

Welcome!

This is an easy-to-read document.

We use easy-to-read documents to involve people with intellectual disabilities by using texts that are easy to read and understand.

Text that is in bold font is the main information.

Text below the bold font gives more information.

This document is about a flyer looking for discussion leaders with disabilities and older adults.

Leadership in Action.

This is an opportunity for you to be a leader.

We need leaders with disabilities and older adults.

Older adults are usually people who are at least 65 years old.

Our group is looking for people with disabilities and older adults to be discussion leaders. Discussion leaders will host conversations with your peers with disabilities or older adults. Peers with disabilities means other people with disabilities.

These conversations will be about alternatives to guardianship and supported decision-making

Supported Decision-Making is a way for a person to make their own decisions with the advice and support of people they choose.

You can learn more about supported decision making in an easy-to-read document titled "Top 7 Things to Know About Supported Decision-Making".

This document can be found in the same folder this document is in.

You can also learn more about supported decision making by clicking this link: https://www.in.gov/idr/2758.htm

An example of alternatives to guardianship is a person that reminds you to take your medication.

A more formal example is a Power of Attorney.

A Power of Attorney is a person who can act for you in some situations.

You can learn more about other options that are not guardianship by clicking this link: https://www.in.gov/idr/2686.htm

Information you and others share in these conversations will help create our state plan.

The state plan is about helping people learn about alternatives to guardianship and supported decision-making.

The state plan is also about helping people use alternatives to guardianship and supported decision-making.

Discussion leaders will be paid.

You will get money for being a discussion leader.

Learn more and sign up to be a discussion leader by clicking this link: https://RB.GY/94ZWDH

Do you have questions?

There will be an online information meeting on Friday, October 2, 2020 at 12PM.

You can email Kristin Dulaney at kdulaney@indianadisabilityrights.org.

You can call Indiana Disability Rights at (317) 419-7595.